മിസ്റ്റർ കെ. എം. ഇബ്രാഹിം.—ഓഫീസ് മുമ്പ് ഉണ്ടായ അഭിപ്രായംതന്നെ ഇപ്പോഴും ഗവർമ്മെൻറ് മുറുകെ പിടിക്കുകയാണോ ചെയ്യുന്നത്?

Mr. President.—The House cannot have a discussion on an industry at question time.

Amballur-Kallur Road — Improvement of.

80. Mr. T. A. Ramachandra Ayyar.—Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(a) whether they have done anything to improve the Amballore-Kallur road after the admission of the Diwan Peishkar during the last budget session that the road is in a very bad condition;

(b) is not toll collected even now on the road though it is in a state of deplorable condition;

(c) what is the length of the road and the amount of expenditure spent on it during last year?

Dr. E. S. R. Menon.—(a) Yes.

(b) Yes.

(c) Two miles from Amballur P. W. D. road to Kallur. Rs. 132.

Mr. T. A. Ramachandra Ayyar.—What have they done to improve the condition of the road?

Dr. E. S. R. Menon.—We have already placed laterite metals on the road and we have put some temporary support to the bridge and two caution boards have also been put.

Mr. T. A. Ramachandra Ayyar.—The Diwan Peishkar has admitted that the road is in a very bad condition and the Government also admits that the toll is collected even now. May I know how they justify their action of collecting toll from a road which is in a very deplorable condition?

Dr. E. S. R. Menon.—The Government have an idea of metalling this road. The cost will come to Rs. 12,000. In these times of financial stringency it may not be possible to find funds for it. It will be considered by Government when the finances improve.

Dr. A. R. Menon.—What is the amount collected in the shape of toll from that road?

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Dr. E. S. R. Menon.—About Rs. 400.

Dr. A. R. Menon.—Rs. 13[illegible] spent for two miles of road and then a toll is put upon that road. Is that the position of the Government?

Mr. K. Achyuta Menon.—The toll is not for that road alone. The toll must be located somewhere on the road.

Dr. A. R. Menon.—I am just pointing out the condition of the road when you spent Rs. [illegible] for two miles.

Mr. President.—That is why the Diwan Peishkar said that it is in a very bad condition.

Ollur Group Panchayat.

81. **Mr. E. Ikkanda Warrier.**—Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(1) the names of the present elected members of the Ollur Group Panchayat;

(2) the names of the gentlemen submitted by the Inspector of Panchayats for nomination in his first list with their positions in life, educational qualifications and Sirkar tax which their families pay in one year;

(3) whether after the receipt of the above list of names, the Director of Public Health and Panchayats called for fresh list or lists with a direction to submit names other than those of the Ambalavasies;

(4) if the answer to sub-division (3) is in the affirmative, will they be pleased to state the reasons for calling such a list;

(b) the names, educational qualifications, position and status in life of the gentlemen contained in those lists;

(5) the names of the gentlemen ultimately nominated as members of the above-said Panchayat with their qualifications and position and status in life;

(6) will the Government be pleased to place a copy of the communication of the Director of Public Health and Panchayats to the Panchayat Inspector referred to in sub-division (3) above?

Dr. E. S. R. Menon.—

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